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SUBJECT: OTTAWA MINISTERIAL: UK DRAFT OF NATO PRONOUNCEMENT

DURING CONVERSATION WITH SENIOR MFA OFFICIAL IN WHICH WE REVIEWED
US POSITION RE US-EC CONSULTATIONS (STATE 96829), OFFICIAL REVEALED
THAT FON MIN VAN DER STOEL ON MAY 13 HAD RECEIVED FROM FON SEC
CALLAGHAN A UK DRAFT OF A PRONOUNCEMENT TO BE ISSUED AT CONCLU-
SION NATO MINISTERIAL AT OTTAWA. OFFICIAL THOUGHT DRAFT PRONOUNC-
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EMENT, WHICH DRAWS HEAVILY ON PRIOR DRAFT DECLARATION LANGUAGE,

WAS RATHER GOOD; IT MAKES REFERENCE IN SEVERAL PLACES TO CONSUL-
TATIONS. HE ASSUMED UK DRAFT, WHICH ULTIMATELY COULD TAKE FORM OF
EITHER MINISTERIAL COMMUNIQUE OR "DECLARATION", WAS BEING GIVEN
TO OTHER EC GOVTS AS WELL AND WOULD BE EMERGING AT NATO. OFFICIAL
OBSERVED THE ONE THING FON MIN VAN DER STOEL WISHES TO AVOID AT
ALL COSTS IS ANOTHER TRANS-ATLANTIC DRAFTING EXERCISE WHICH
PRODUCES RECRIMINATIONS.
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